

1 Defendant did not file an opposition to plaintiff's motion to dismiss her amended counterclaims,
2 and the Court granted the motion. Plaintiff asserts in a recently filed declaration that defendant did not
3 appear at the June 14 ADR phone conference. Plaintiff emailed defendant the next day, and defendant
4 replied that she had miscalendared the date for the conference call. Plaintiff asked defendant to contact
5 ADR to reschedule the call. Plaintiff does not believe that defendant has done so, and there is no
6 indication on the Court docket of a rescheduled call.

7 For the foregoing reasons and for good cause shown, defendant Renee Norwood is hereby
8 ORDERED to file with the Court by **5:00 p.m. on Monday, August 8**, a written explanation as to:

9 • why she did not participate in the ADR conference call as directed;
10 • whether she still wishes to participate in mediation; and
11 • what her plans are for the case, including whether she plans to retain an attorney, and whether
12 she plans to prosecute her counterclaims.²

Defendant is further advised that a case management conference is scheduled for August 12, 2011 at 3:00 p.m. Defendant shall appear at the conference, either in person or by telephone.

Defendant is further advised that failure to comply with court orders can result in sanctions, including but not limited to the striking of her answer. Additionally, her counterclaims can be dismissed if she fails to prosecute them.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

23 || Dated: July 26, 2011

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According to counsel's letter, defendant's husband's name is Jay Bynum, and it appears that the correct email address is therefore <jaybynum@adelphia.net>.

² Plaintiff's motion for an order to show cause is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN
28 PART. (Doc. 52.)